

In response to your letter dated December 15 please note that the Committee has no record of receiving this letter. We appreciate your call informing us of this matter. The Committee is always working to provide the best information possible for a complete and accurate public record and we appreciate your assistance as always.

The aggregates you noted have been corrected.

The contribution from Aventis Pharmaceuticals PAC was actually from Sanofi Pasteur Inc PAC. The donor records had been combined and the incorrect name was pulled. The correct donor is shown on the amendment filed today. The donation from Key Biscayne Women's Club had been checked to ensure that the Committee is permitted to accept the donation.

The in-kind contributions to Rodney Alexander and Richard Baker have been corrected to show the General election period. The contribution to David McSweeney was for Primary Debt Retirement and that is indicated on the amendment.

The aggregate totals for the Schedule E disbursements by election have been changed.

The Sunshine PAC excessive contribution has been refunded. The donor file had no notation of multi-candidate status and the donation did not include an indication of multi-candidate status therefore it was not caught by our system. We have since started to look up each political committee donation received for current status information, address and committee id number.

You have asked if the Committee is using Usual and Normal fees for services provided to federal candidate committees, other political committees and other vendors or organizations who have paid for services provided by the Committee. The Committee passes on the full cost of the services provided with no mark up and no discount. The Committee does not receive any discounts for the services and so the cost passed on is the market value paid by the Committee and is usual and normal.

Again, thank you for your assistance with this matter. Please contact me with any additional questions or concerns.
